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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Douglas McGhan et al	Attorney Docket No. 9-13528-207US
Serial No: 10/677,223	Group Art Unit: 2873
Filed: 10/03/2003	Examiner: Jessica T. STULTZ

For: Optical E-Field Modulation Using a Mach-Zehnder Interferometer

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

BOX – NON-FEE AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2005, the one-month extended period for response being November 18, 2005, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.